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Dan Sanchez

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For: MICROWRIST SYSTEM FOR

SURGICAL PROCEDURES

Examiner: Unknown

Art Group: 3736

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- (2) A check in the amount of \$214.00 to cover the \$130.00 surcharge under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and \$84.00 additional claim fee; and,
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Respectfully submitted,

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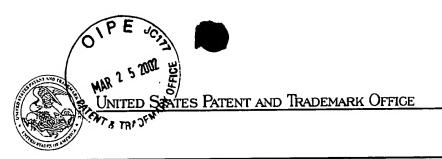
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Filing Date Granted

- An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).
 - Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$84.
 - \$84 for 10 independent claims over 3.
 - The signature of the following inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration: Darrin Uecker
 - To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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